

## **MINUTES**

### **MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

#### **COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES**

**Call to Order:** Chair Kirk Wagoner, on April 12, 2017 at 3:00 PM, in Room 152 Capitol

#### **ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:**

Rep. Kirk Wagoner, Chair (R)  
Rep. Dennis R. Lenz, Vice Chair (R)  
Rep. Mary Ann Dunwell (D)  
Rep. Bill Harris (R)  
Rep. Kathy Kelker (D)  
Rep. Forrest Mandeville (R)  
Rep. Gordon Pierson Jr (D)  
Rep. Matt Regier (R)  
Rep. Vince Ricci (R)  
Rep. Walt Sales (R)  
Rep. Barry Usher (R)  
Rep. Tom Welch (R)

**Members Excused:**

Rep. Jessica Karjala, Vice Chair (D)  
Rep. Ellie Hill Smith (D)  
Rep. Tom Jacobson (D)

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Sue O'Connell, Legislative Branch  
Carolyn Tschida, Committee Secretary

**Audio Committees:** These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

**Committee Business Summary:** None

**Executive Action:** SB 362

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 362**

00:01:07     **Motion:** Rep. Lenz moved that **SB 362 BE CONCURRED IN.**

**Discussion:**

00:01:18     Chair Wagoner

00:01:40     **Motion:** Rep. Lenz moved that **SB 362 BE AMENDED.**  
**EXHIBIT**(huh77a01)

**Discussion:**

00:01:52     Sue O'Connell, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

00:03:18     Rep. Regier

00:03:37     Sue O'Connell, LSD

00:03:44     Chair Wagoner

00:03:57     **Vote:** Motion carried 10-2 by voice vote with Rep. M. Regier and Rep. Usher voting no. Rep. Hill Smith, Rep. Jacobson and Rep. Karjala were excused.

00:04:57     **Motion:** Rep. Lenz moved that **SB 362 BE AMENDED.**  
**EXHIBIT**(huh77a02)

**Discussion:**

00:05:13     Sue O'Connell, LSD

00:07:29     Chair Wagoner

00:07:52     Rep. Kelker

00:08:27     Rep. Karjala joined the meeting

00:08:34     Rep. Hill Smith joined the meeting

00:08:43     Sue O'Connell, LSD

00:09:03     Chair Wagoner

00:09:15     Rep. Jacobson joined the meeting

00:09:27     Recess

00:21:04     Reconvene

00:21:12     **Substitute Motion:** Rep. Usher made a substitute motion to **RECONSIDER PREVIOUS ACTION AND SEGREGATE #32 OUT OF THE AMENDMENT.**

**Discussion:**

00:22:26     Rep. Dunwell

00:22:44     Rep. Pierson

00:22:52     Sue O'Connell, LSD

00:23:26     **Vote:** Motion carried 14-1 by voice vote with Rep. Karjala voting no.

00:24:13     **Motion:** Rep. Dunwell moved that **RECONSIDER PREVIOUS ACTION AND ADD #32 BACK INTO THE AMENDMENT.**

**Discussion:**

00:24:33 Rep. Dunwell  
00:25:06 Rep. Usher  
00:25:33 Rep. Kelker  
00:26:35 Rep. Dunwell  
00:26:49 Rep. Usher  
00:27:13 Rep. Karjala  
00:27:33 Rep. Usher

00:28:12 **Vote:** Motion carried 8-7 by roll call vote with Rep. Harris, Rep. Lenz, Rep. M. Regier, Rep. Ricci, Rep. W. Sales, Rep. Usher and Rep. Welch voting no.

00:29:35 **Motion:** Rep. Lenz moved that **SB 362 BE AMENDED.**  
**EXHIBIT(huh77a03)**

**Discussion:**

00:29:43 Sue O'Connell, LSD  
00:30:28 Rep. Mandeville  
00:31:11 Rep. Karjala  
00:31:48 Rep. Kelker  
00:32:14 Rep. Dunwell

00:32:21 **Vote:** Motion carried 13-2 by roll call vote with Rep. Karjala and Rep. Wagoner voting no.

00:33:07 **Motion:** Rep. Lenz moved that **HR 362 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.**

**Discussion:**

00:33:14 Rep. Usher  
00:35:55 Rep. Kelker

00:36:55 **Vote:** Motion carried 8-7 by roll call vote with Rep. Harris, Rep. Lenz, Rep. M. Regier, Rep. W. Sales, Rep. Usher, Rep. Wagoner and Rep. Welch voting no. Rep. Wagoner will carry the bill.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 00:38:06

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Carolyn Tschida, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT**([huh77aad.pdf](#))